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RENEWAL OF FIGHT NOW ANTICIPATED

At Present Night Skirmishes are Frequent.

Jan. 9th a Whole Japanese Regiment Was Exterminated—Gen. Stoessel Commended.

BY A JAPANESE GENERAL.

Huanchan, Jan. 16.—There has been no serious fighting for several days, though night skirmishes on both sides continue. The most important action recently was that in which Capt. Kosinoff and Troitzki with 75 Cossacks, drove the Japanese out of Mitzi and Tkhangay and captured a large amount of forage at both places.

General Linevitch has been inspecting the whole front and finds that men and supplies are in excellent condition. Japanese on their side are pushing sapping operations toward Russian lines at several points but have made no serious progress.

Jap Regiment Slaughtered.

Huanchan, Jan. 9. (delayed in transmission).—The Japanese today bombarded Liaofantun and Liutzyan, and also Lone Tree and Novogorod hills.

All day of January 9 the Japanese bombarded the Russian positions to the right and left of the railroad near Tasudgyap with unaccustomed vigor.

On January 10 a Japanese regiment advanced in the face of a furious fire from batteries and rifles, drove back the Russian outposts, who drew on the Japanese to a masked battery and later allowed them to come on suddenly.

Then the Russians opened a murderous fire, the infantry at the same time falling on the Japanese flanks. The Japanese regiment was almost completely annihilated, and the remainder fled in wild disorder, leaving heaps of dead and wounded on the field. The Russians pressed the pursued and took the Japanese position January 10, at noon.

Commends Stoessel.

Nagasaki, Jan. 16.—Gen. Nogi has written the governor here commending Gen. Stoessel for his consideration. Gen. Nogi points out that Gen. Stoessel is now neither a prisoner nor enemy, but a foreign gentleman who meritoriously served his country.

Gen. Stoessel Thanks.

Nagasaki, Jan. 16.—Gen. Stoessel has cabled his thanks to the emperor of Germany for the decoration conferred on him.

Passage for Gen. Stoessel and his party has been booked for Port Said.

Student Fired At Officer.

Moscow, Jan. 16.—At the Nicholas station last night while General Treppoff was bidding farewell to Grand Duke Sergius on his departure for St. Petersburg, a young man wearing a student's cap fired three shots from his revolver at the general. All shots missed General Treppoff. Grand Duke Sergius proceeded on his journey.

Invaded Neutral Territory.

Tokio, Jan. 16.—Later reports from New Chwang indicate that Gen. Mischenko's Cossacks in their recent raiding southwest of Lioa Yang, deliberately invaded neutral territory and broke the limits of the war zone. The reported Russian note to the powers calling attention to China's non-enforcement of neutrality is regarded in some quarters as absurd. It is felt that China's weakness and constant failure to enforce neutrality must release Japan from obligations to observe the restrictions which Russia openly ignores. While the extension of belligerent territory is to be regretted it is felt that Japan must take steps to protect herself against a repetition of raiding expeditions whose success depends on violation of neutral territory.

A Battle in Prospect.

St. Petersburg, Jan. 16.—War office does not admit that appearance of General Mischenko's cavalry southwest of Lioa Yang is more than a raiding expedition designed

BOLT PROBABLE IN MISSOURI ASSEMBLY

Nine Republicans Threaten to Bolt the Caucus.

Niedringhaus in Danger of Losing the United States Senatorship.

NOTHING DEFINITE STATED

Jefferson City, Mo., Jan. 16.—T. K. Niedringhaus, Republican caucus nominee for United States senator to succeed Francis M. Cockrell, will not be elected senator by the Missouri legislature tomorrow as planned, if nine Republican members of the legislature who held a conference at the home of Col. Richard Kerens Saturday night are able to make good a statement made after the second conference.

Niedringhaus, who is state chairman for the Republicans in Missouri, since his selection by the caucus for senator has been undergoing an investigation as to the last campaign fund which, it is alleged, was given by St. Louis brewers to influence legislation. The investigation committee has announced that charges are unfounded and that the committee will so report to the legislature.

However, Saturday night a dinner was given at the home of Col. Kerens. Niedringhaus' nearest competitor for the caucus selection for senator. Several Republican assemblymen attended, including Representative Grace who introduced the resolution that caused the investigation of Niedringhaus' management of the campaign.

After dinner Col. Kerens and his manager withdrew from the room saying they did not want to be parties to any deliberations that might be taken.

Nine representatives then decided to bolt the caucus vote and endeavor to elect Kerens senator. Friends of Niedringhaus say he will be elected, nevertheless.

to strike the railroad at several points and interrupt transportation of General Nogi's guns from Port Arthur to Manchuria, but from certain indications it seems possible that it is preliminary to an operation of magnitude.

General Mischenko has 20,000 horsemen, and moving rapidly, and might be able to damage communications in the rear of Lioa Yang. The tone of dispatches from some Russian correspondents vaguely hints at important developments, and a military writer for Novoe Vremya expresses the opinion that the long calm since the battle of Shakhe is about to be broken. It is noteworthy that there have been no official dispatches from General Kurapatkin for two days.

A dispatch to Lloyds from Yinkow, reports that General Mischenko's raiding force was cut off on its way back by 8,000 Japanese dispatched from Santhoo by General Oku. This report is not confirmed from any other source.

To Go On the Offensive.

London, Jan. 16.—The tone of the rescript addressed by Emperor Nicholas to the army and navy is regarded as putting an end to all present hopes of a possibility of mediation or peace and as indicating a likelihood that General Kuropatkin will soon resume the offensive.

TODAY'S MARKETS

Wheat—	Open.	Closed.
May	1.17	1.15½
July	99¼	98¾
Corn—		
May	45	44½
Oats—		
May	31¼	31
Pork—		
May	12.65	12.72
Cotton—		
Mar	6.88	6.95
May	6.97	7.05
July	7.08	7.16
Stocks—		
I. C.	1.57½	1.56½
L. & N.	1.40½	1.40½
Cop.	78¾	76¾
N. Y. Spot Cot. .	7.25	

DANGEROUS CRANK CONFESSES IT ALL

Attempted to Blow up the Umbria in 1903.

He Also Attached the Bomb to the Frederick the Great Statue at Washington City.

TO BE SENT TO NEW YORK.

Philadelphia, Jan. 16.—"Gessler Rosseau," who was arrested on Thursday with an unloaded infernal machine in his possession, told the police today that he was the man who attempted to destroy the statue of Frederick the Great in Washington on last Tuesday, and that it was he who sent the trunk containing the infernal machine to the British steamship Umbria at New York in May, 1903.

He gives no reasons for the attempted outrages except that "there are too many foreign affairs in this country."

After having Rosseau under fire all afternoon the police classed him as "American patriotic fanatic." It is probable Rosseau will be turned over to the police of New York.

The apprehension of Rosseau was due to the disappearance of Owen Kelley, the wealthy Irish-American who is prominent in Irish-American societies. Kelly disappeared on Oct. 25. On Thursday, Rosseau called on Patrick Kelly, brother of the missing man, and offered to take him to his brother in New York for \$500. He said he and Owen Kelly belonged to secret societies that were organized to blow up British ships in American ports. The valise he carried, he said, contained explosives. Patrick Kelly called the police and Rosseau was arrested. The valise contained an infernal machine of a clock-work variety, but no explosives.

Rosseau said all failure to destroy the statue in Washington probably was due to the melting of a tallow candle in the machine, thus extinguishing the fuse. He admitted that he had intended to make a second attempt with the machine timed with clock work, this machine to be hung on the statue in the day time as it was difficult to pass the guards at night. He did not want to destroy the statue in the day time for fear of hurting some one.

He admitted writing a note to Police Commissioner Green, which read:

"Mafia greets you and wishes you well. The society has declared war against England and has ordered the destruction of every steamer flying the British flag that sails out of New York. The society has undertaken to clear New York harbor of British ships and it will succeed."

It was this note which led to the finding of the trunk on the wharf before it was placed on the steamship.

The prisoner said he was born in America, and that he was a farmer. He admitted that his name was not "Gessler Rosseau." He said he had read that he was a student of social economy. He took the name of Gessler Rosseau from two ideals. Albrecht Gessler, a Swiss director who tradition says, was killed by William Tell in 1307, and Jean Jacques Rosseau, the French philosopher.

Great Storm Raging.

Holyhead, Jan. 16.—A great storm is raging on the Atlantic and Irish Sea, and fifty steamers have taken refuge here from the sudden gale.

London, Jan. 16.—Five miners were killed today by a falling cage in a colliery shaft at Stalens, Lancashire.

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O BULGARIANS BURN AN
O ENTIRE FAMILY.
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O Constantinople, Jan. 16.—
O Word has reached here of the
O massacre of an entire family
O near Salonika. Bulgarians,
O who have been operating near
O Exisa, surrounded the home
O of a Greek notable, and took
O the whole family captives.
O They sought out a baker's
O furnace and threw the family
O into an almost white heat,
O and all were killed, the re-
O mains being reduced to ashes.
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ROASTED TO DEATH IN THE CITY LOCKUP

Horrible Death of an Illinois Farmer.

Ohio Girl Fires Several Shots Into Brother's Body—Gas Explosion in Kansas.

WISCONSIN OFFICIAL SUICIDES.

Sterling, Ill., Jan. 16.—William Shoo, an industrious farmer, who lived eight miles west of this city, went on his first drunk and was burned alive in the city jail at Prophetstown, 15 miles west of this city.

Shoo was arrested on the charge of being drunk and at 10 o'clock was placed in the frame jail building. To keep the prisoner from freezing a soft coal fire was started.

Shoo was confined in the iron cage, and when the police and fire department arrived his cell was a mass of flames and his cries for help could be heard above the flames.

Killed His Father.

Mastique, Mich., Jan. 16.—John Galligher has pleaded guilty to killing his father. The jury in the case was discharged and Galligher remanded for sentence. He will probably be sentenced to 15 years. Galligher went home on the night of Dec. 5 and beat his father, Burton, aged 80, so that he died within a week.

Shot Her Brother.

Warren, O., Jan. 16.—"God, but how I hate you!" is what pretty Grace Whitmore of Leavittsburg, said to her brother yesterday, as she attempted to take his life with a pistol. She had shot him twice, and, bending over his prostrate form, made the remark quoted, as she attempted to shoot again, but the weapon would not go off. Her brother is 27 years old and she is 17, and it is claimed, she is insane over reading novels. She is under arrest and claims she has no brother, but that he is a wicked Lord.

Deadly Gas Explosion.

Garnet, Jan. 16.—Frank Johnson was killed and eight other persons were injured last night by an explosion of gas in the bakery of J. W. Fashing, who was fatally hurt. Three small store buildings were demolished and a dozen others damaged.

City Officials Suicide.

Appleton, Wis., Jan. 16.—William Rohloff, street commissioner, committed suicide by firing two shots from a revolver into his body. Rohloff was secretary and treasurer of St. Paul's Lutheran church, and had appointment with the trustees of the church yesterday afternoon to present reports. Instead of going to the church he went to his office in the city where he shot himself. The cause of the suicide is not known.

NEW COUNCILMAN.

Will Have to Be Appointed By the Mayor.

City Solicitor Ed Puryear has prepared his opinion regarding the filling of the vacancy in the councilmanic board caused by the failure of Robert Broadfoot, one of the Republican members, to qualify.

He will advise the mayor to appoint a man to fill the place, but other than this would today say nothing in advance regarding the opinion. The opinion will be given before the board tonight at the regular meeting.

CASE REVERSED.

Supreme Court Gives Senator Burton a New Trial.

Washington, Jan. 16.—The supreme court of the United States today reversed the decision of the district court at St. Louis, and granted to Senator Joseph B. Burton, of Kansas, a new trial. The court was divided five to four. Senator Burton was convicted of acting as attorney for a get-rich-quick concern, before the postoffice department, and sentenced to six months and a fine of twenty-five hundred dollars.

No passion, no power.

FIREMEN FOUGHT INVISIBLE FLAMES

\$150,000 Worth of Damage at Chicago Stock Yards.

Firemen Overcome—A \$100,000 Blaze at Hoopestown, Ill., Yesterday.

A BAPTIST CHURCH BURNS.

Chicago, Jan. 16.—From early last evening until this morning firemen fought a fire in the stock yards, although they never caught a glimpse of the flames. The fire was in the cooling buildings, the walls of which are double, the intervening space being filled with sawdust. The fire smoldered, sending out baffling smoke and many of the firemen fell unconscious. The loss is a hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

Hoopestown, Ill., Jan. 16.—Fire in one of the main business blocks yesterday caused a loss of \$100,000. Frank H. Parnell's department store and the brick building adjoining owned by Mayor James A. Cunningham, were burned. Those suffering the heaviest losses were:

Frank H. Parnell, \$75,000.

James A. Cunningham, \$8,000.

The heat from the burning buildings broke nearly all plate glass in the buildings on the opposite side of the street, causing a loss of several thousand dollars.

Salt Plant Burned.

Laporte, Ind., Jan. 16.—Fire yesterday destroyed the Laporte Salt plant of the H. J. Heinz Pickle company of Pittsburg, causing a loss of \$75,000.

Baptist Church Burns.

Lynn, Mass., Jan. 16.—During a fire which destroyed the Second Baptist church yesterday, the steel ceiling of the vestry fell, severely injuring five firemen. Loss \$100,000.

Fire in City Hall.

Chicago, Ill., Jan. 16.—Fire this morning threatened the destruction of the county building and city hall. The flames originated on the top floor and caused a panic among more than a thousand employees. Three workmen were taken out in a serious condition. The loss will reach several thousand dollars.

Three Men Burned.

Pittsburg, Jan. 16.—Three men were burned to death and four frame houses were destroyed and two other buildings damaged in a fire at Harmanville this morning. The bodies of the victims were found in the cellar covered with the smoldering ruins.

Two Children Perish.

Philadelphia, Jan. 16.—Two children burned to death in a fire in a dwelling on Latonia street.

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O THE RIOTERS LOST
O STANDARD BEARER
O St. Petersburg, Jan. 16.—
O A dispatch from Lodz reports
O serious rioting there yesterday,
O despite the efforts of the police
O to maintain quiet. The rioters
O hoisted a red flag, fired 50
O shots at the police, wounding
O one officer. The police replied
O with a volley, killing the stand-
O ard bearer of the rioters. Six-
O teen disturbers were arrested.
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FOR MAYOR.

D. J. Mackey is Mentioned For This Office in Evansville.

Evansville, Ind., Jan. 16.—Friends of David J. Mackey, the former millionaire railroad magnate, have started a boom for him for the republican nomination for mayor. The election will be held the first Monday in April.

The Men's club of the Walnut street Presbyterian church of this city about 100 strong, have held several meetings to discuss Mr. Mackey's candidacy.

Mr. Mackey is past 60 years, but is still in good health and as active as he was when his name was so well known in the railroad line.

DESPONDENT GIRL DIED OF POISON

Miss Flora Rives Found Unconscious by Sister.

Lived Several Hours But Never Regained Consciousness—Supposed to Be Suicide.

SHE WAS IN ILL HEALTH

Miss Flora Rives, age 25, daughter of Mr. T. M. Rives, prominent farmer of the Maxon Mills section, eight miles from Paducah, on the Cairo road, died this morning at 5 o'clock, the result of an overdose of morphine, taken, it is alleged, with suicidal intent.

The young lady had been in ill health, it is said, for several months and was despondent. Last night about 9:30 o'clock when a sister went to bed she found the young lady unconscious, and Dr. Kimbrough was summoned but life was too far gone.

She took the morphine, it is presumed, about 8 o'clock and at 5 this morning died. The stomach pump was employed without success. She never regained consciousness long enough to tell why she took the drug and the natural conclusion is suicide, although this was not admitted by the young lady's people.

The deceased was well known and a prominent young lady of that section. She leaves a father, mother and five brothers, Messrs. Mercer, Thomas and Harry Rives, and two small brothers, and three sisters, Misses Blanche, Hilda and Katie Rives. She was popular with her many friends, and her death was a shock to the neighborhood.

The young lady was a niece of Mr. Pet Rives, the well known merchant at Maxons.

The funeral will probably be held tomorrow afternoon from the residence. Interment at the Rives burial grounds, on the Cairo road, a short distance from Maxons Mills.

Coroner Crow this afternoon held an inquest, and the verdict of the coroner's jury was that the deceased died from morphine poisoning taken with suicidal intent. The note she left stated that she wanted to die, as she thought she had consumption.

The funeral will take place tomorrow.

HUMAN ANIMAL CHAIN.

Goat, Child, Dog, Woman and Man in Mixup That Might Have Had Serious Results.

New York, Jan. 16.—A peripatetic goat became angered this afternoon at the Little Red Riding Hood suit worn by Millicent Adams, aged 6. The goat charged, head down, at the little girl when she was standing near the brink of a rocky incline in Harlem.

Simultaneously with the rush of the goat a magnificent St. Bernard, held in leash by a young woman, started in pursuit of the other animal. Her escort brought up the procession, also moving rapidly.

The goat struck little Millicent squarely in the back. She would have been knocked over the cliff if the goat's horns had not become entangled in her dress. She would have been dashed to pieces, anyway, if the St. Bernard had not grabbed the goat by the hindquarters, and it is not unlikely the two animals and the child would have gone over but for the fact that the young woman retained her hold on the leash, and her resistance was intensified by the young man, who ground his heels in the snow, threw his arms around the young woman, and pulled back for dear life.

When the human-animal chain was disentangled it was found the only serious damage was to the goat's aftermath.

IN PHILIPPINES.

A Lively Brush is Reported by Gen. Corbin.

Washington, Jan. 16.—Gen. Corbin, of Manila, reports: "Lieut. Avery and one Philippine scout and two natives were wounded in action at Dolores river, and Private Austin was wounded, and nine of the constabulary killed, at Masalog, Samar."